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REPUBLICAN TICKET.

For Representative,
L. L. Mitchell.
For County Judge,
Norris Eskridge.
For County Clerk,
W. Sherman Ball.
For County Attorney,
Allen R. Kincheloe.
For Sheriff,
Dennie Sheeran.
For Superintendent Schools,
Andrew Driskell.
For Jailor,
William J. Hall.
For Surveyor,
R. M. Basham.
For Assessor,
Henry Cannon.

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Will be County's Resources and Needs
--Important Resolutions.

The time was too short for an oral response from every county chairman at the Fourth State Development convention in Louisville, at the roll call of counties, last Thursday, and the unread papers submitted, along with the other papers and the speeches of the convention, will be published in pamphlet form, and some of them, in condensed form, in the big trade journals of the country. Dr. A. A. Simons, of this city, chairman of the delegates from Breckenridge county, over half of whom attended the convention, submitted a paper setting forth the county's agricultural products, her resources in the way of fine clays and shale, timber, asphalt, natural gas, and oil prospects, etc., and important and interesting information regarding the industries needed by the county, what it needs to make it a richer and more productive county, and what inducements are offered to capital seeking investment.

It is believed that this information being published and sent out to the capitalists and business men of the country will eventually result in much benefit to the counties of the State.

Ninety-eight counties were represented at the convention and there were about 500 delegates present. The convention lasted three days, ending Thursday night with a big banquet at the Galt House. It was the most successful meeting of the kind ever held in the State and it is believed that it will be productive of much benefit to the State at large. The next convention will be held at Winchester.

Resolutions adopted by the convention recommend:

First--Revision of the State revenue and taxation laws.

Second--Establishment of a State Bureau of Immigration and Information.

Third--Organization of county immigration societies.

Fourth--Better equipment for the State Agricultural and Mechanical College.

Fifth--Extension of the school system and establishment of State normal schools.

Sixth--Continuation of the State Geological Survey.

Seventh--Creation of the office of State Forester.

Eighth--Permanency of the State Fair and selection of a permanent location.

Ninth--Enlargement of the scope of the State Board of Agriculture.

Colored Republicans Organize.

The colored Republicans of this city organized a club last Saturday night with seventy members. The name of the club is the L. L. Mitchell Republican Club. It will meet every Saturday night and on Monday night preceding the election. The officers of the club are John Hardin, president, and Wm. F. Haynes, secretary.

Hood's

Sarsaparilla enjoys the distinction of being the greatest curative and preventive medicine the world has ever known. It is an all-round medicine, producing its unequalled effects by purifying, vitalizing and enriching the blood on which the health and strength of every organ, bone and tissue depend. Accept no substitute for Hood's, but insist on having Hood's AND ONLY HOOD'S.

PROCEEDINGS OF CIRCUIT COURT.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Oct. 17.-(Special.)--In the action of Mary E. Payne vs. Thos. R. Carman, the defendant filed his answer of record. The plaintiff was given thirty days within which to file her reply, the pleadings to be completed within fifty days, and the case was continued.

The commonwealth recovered one hundred and fifty dollars and costs in the case of the Commonwealth of Kentucky vs. the Standard Oil Co. The judgment was obtained because of the fact that the Standard Oil Co. peddled oil without first taking out a license, as required by the revenue law.

Jessie L. Robertson was granted a divorce from Malcolm Robertson, and was restored to her maiden name.

On motion of the plaintiff the case of Wm. D. Whitworth vs. Sarah M. Whitworth was dismissed.

The case of Albert Orum vs. S. W. Pate, having been settled by the parties, was dismissed.

On motion of the plaintiff the case of Leitia Shellman vs. Andrew McAfee, etc., was continued, and alias process was awarded.

In the action of A. B. Skillman, etc., vs. Elizabeth May, etc., a judgment was entered construing the will of Fred Walters, deceased.

On motion of the plaintiff the action of Charles E. Murphy vs. Flora Lee Osborne, etc., was continued until the next term of court.

The case of Fannie B. Mercer vs. John B. Ganaway was dismissed with leave to be recalled on motion of either party.

A rule was issued against the plaintiff's requiring time to be ready for trial at the next February term of court, in the case of John Vernia & Co. vs. Mary F. Meador.

The case of C. L. Hawkins vs. Pete Sheeran Bros. & Co., was dismissed.

Our Magazine Section.

The following are the features of our magazine section this week:

MONEY FOR POLITICS. Legislation to prohibit corporations making campaign payments.

THEATRE TRUST WAR. The indomitable Belasco giving the show combine a fight for its life.

REAL HEART OF THINGS. It's found not in the great cities but in country homes.

THE SEEDLESS APPLE FRAUD. Department of Agriculture denounces scheme as humbug.

THE SCANDAL OF SIGMA. A short story by Wyllard.

THE SAVING OF OREGON. How Dr. Whitman braved blizzards and death.

PALATIAL R.R. STATION. New Washington station the finest in the world.

VAN CALAVA'S EUROPEAN GOSSIP. Diplomatic and court intrigue tales abroad.

DRINK GALLONS OF WATER. Practice said to account for Japs' hardhood.

MARY, MOTHER OF WASHINGTON. Handsome monument erected by patriotic citizens.

He Ought to Have Cared.

John Allen Smith was knocked in the head at Fordsville last Thursday by Wilson Dooly in rather an unusual way. Dooly came up to where Smith was standing and asked Smith if he wanted to fight. Smith replied that he didn't care, whereupon Dooly struck him with what is termed as a slingshot, rendering him unconscious. At last report he was still in a pretty bad condition.--Hartford Republican.

Judge Graham Candidate.

Hardinsburg, Ky., Oct. 17.-(Special.)--Judge John Graham, of Leitchfield, is here attending court and serving as special judge in the case of B. F. Beard & Co. vs. Arthur Goodman, now on trial. The judge is also a prospective candidate for the Democratic nomination for congress, and is quietly looking after his fences.

Sunday School Conventions.

District Sunday school conventions will be held at Garnettsville, Ekron and Brandenburg on October 20, 21 and 22 respectively. E. A. Fox, state secretary of the Sunday school association, who will be at the conventions, will be at Gaston also on the night of October 22 and give his stereopticon lecture, which every one should hear. The admission will be ten cents.

Mrs. David Wilson and Mrs. Truman Adams spent Sunday at Addison.

The case of Thos. Sweeney's Admr. vs. James M. Mason was transferred to the ordinary docket and continued until the next term of court.

On motion of the defendant, the case of H. J. Ballman vs. Henry Tucker, was continued at the defendant's cost.

The following well-known gentlemen compose the petit jury, at this term: Calvin Hendrick, S. E. Waggoner, Dock Oliver, Sam Rice, Henry Greenwell, Taylor Bell, Tom Ganaway, Rod Butler, Ed. Goodman, John Harrington, P. P. Roberts, Richard Cook, James Severs, H. H. Norton, Jesse Macy, R. S. Carter, James Deane, John F. Meador, F. A. Pate, John Hendrick, James T. Beard, John Alexander, John Ball and W. R. Bowman.

The case of the Harding Miller Muste Co. vs. W. A. Clark was dismissed.

The grand jury were finally discharged Saturday after having returned forty-one indictments.

The case of R. B. Tuttle vs. R. M. Jolly, etc., was continued at plaintiff's cost, and he was ruled to be ready for trial at the next term.

The grand jury failed to find indictments against the negro porter and negro woman who were under bond in the county court charged with the murder of Alfred Ray, on a train near Stephensport. They returned an indictment for assault and battery against all four of the men who were with Ray.

In the difficulty which occurred at Hudson, about two weeks ago, between Robert Day and Ralph Lucas, the grand jury returned indictments against Day and refused to indict Lucas.

The suit instituted by Winnie Hall against Flora Macy, for damages for defamation of character, will be tried today.

OVER THE COUNTY.

John Richardson's sale of Angora goats, at Big Spring, was a failure. There was only one lot offered and the best bid was \$3 per head. Mr. Richardson rejected the bid. He said they were worth \$10 a head to him for grazing. "His place shows their wonderful work. Fields that were covered with briars and sassafras bushes are now clean and under a high state of cultivation. His goats did the work. They are great scavengers as well as great fertilizers of the soil."

Frank Dean shipped from Glendean Saturday fifty head of steers averaging 1,100 pounds.

John Lyddan, of Webster, sold to Wm. Baskett, of Brandenburg, last Saturday three fine harness horses at \$175, \$225, and \$250.

J. C. Crutcher, Jesse Herndon, John McGavock, Ben Bewley and Geo. Claycomb, of Webster, left Tuesday for Texas and Oklahoma, on a prospecting tour.

Peyton Shumate and family leave October 20 for Los Angeles, Cal., their future home. Mr. Shumate is one of our best citizens and leaves behind many friends who wish him a long and successful life in his new home.

Abe Richardson's new store house at Garfield is early completed and he hopes to be installed in it in time for the Christmas trade. This is one of the largest business houses in the county and is a credit to Mr. Richardson's enterprise.

They have a new way of working the roads in some sections of the county. For instance, the road from Garfield to Custer in many places is thrown up on the sides and left low in the middle. This sort of roadwork is all right for dry weather, but it is no good for the rainy season. The money and time spent for this kind of work had just as well be thrown in the ditch.

Organizing Brick Plant Company.

It is understood that D. Stuart Miller, the well-known coal operator of Owensboro, is attempting to organize a company to buy and operate the Patton brick yard if a satisfactory deal can be made with the present owners. Mr. Miller was here last Friday on business connected with the project.

New Exchange at Gaston.

Bewleyville, Ky., Oct. 17.-(Special.)--A new exchange will soon be established at Gaston. Twenty-five lines will go into the new switchboard.

BELIEVED DEAD MANY YEARS

Taylor Goff Returns a Wealthy Man
--Was Partner of Stratton.

Believed to be dead for twenty years, Taylor Goff, who left Cloverport in 1867 at the age of twenty-five, returned here last Thursday from Grand Junction, Col., to visit his brother, Chas. Goff, of Ta-fork, his nephew, Eugene Goff, of this city, and other relatives. When he went to Colorado he had little means. For twenty-five years or more he has engaged successfully in the mining and real estate business in that and other western states and his wealth now runs easily into the hundreds of thousands of dollars. He owns several gold and silver mines and other valuable property at Grand Junction and other points, but will not return there, on account of failing health, going instead to Los Angeles, Cal., to engage in the real estate business.

Mr. Goff prospected for years with the late William Stratton, founder and owner of Independence mine, Colorado, the richest gold mine in the world, and was his partner in an iron mine. When Stratton died last year he was worth \$13,000,000.

In 1868, Mr. Goff returned to Cloverport for a short visit and seven years later for a briefer period. For twenty years after his return to Colorado, his relatives here did not receive any word from him and thought that he was dead. In recent years only did they hear from him. During part of this time he was in Australia, China and other countries in the far east. He started to make two visits here that accidents prevented. One time, by an explosion of dynamite, his leg was broken and his eyes so badly burned that he could not see for eleven months, and not then until an operation was performed. At another time, the wooden part of a car was demolished in an accident and his face was penetrated and disfigured by many long splinters.

Mr. Goff married a daughter of ex-Governor Sherwood, of Oregon. He has no children and his wife is not living, and he has offered a home in California to every one of his relatives in this State, among whom are Mrs. W. D. Waters, a niece, and Wm. Goff, a nephew, both residing at Owensboro. Some of them will accept the offer.

Program Teachers' Association To be Held at McQuady Oct. 28.

The following is the program of a teachers' association to be held at McQuady on Saturday, October 28, beginning at 10 a. m.

Welcome addresses--C. M. Payne. Value of punctuality by teacher and pupils--Joel H. Pile.

Preparation for a recitation by the teacher. By the pupil--Andrew Driskell.

Necessity of co-operation by teacher, trustees and patrons--G. S. Wilson. Value of a general knowledge of physiology and hygiene--Dr. Sandbach.

Recitation--Prof. Collins. Opportunity for an education as offered by the public school--A. B. Cart.

Woman in history--Miss Coral Whittinghill.

Real aim of an education--C. M. Payne.

Need of normal training schools for teachers. General discussion.

General discussions will follow each subject.

A special invitation is extended by the county superintendent and the teachers of McQuady school to all teachers and those interested in school work to be present and take part.

C. M. Payne, Prin.

ADDITIONAL HARDINSBURG.

Circuit court will probably adjourn Friday.

Miss Amanda Dean, of Glendean, is here the guest of Mrs. Blanche Read.

John Allen Dean, of Owensboro, V. G. Babbage, of Cloverport, and J. D. Hardin, of Brandenburg, are attending court this week.

Surveyors Reach Stephensport.

The government surveying party now making a complete survey of the Ohio river between Louisville and the mouth of the stream, are expected to reach Stephensport today, as they were just above there yesterday. The party consists of about forty men and they have their own boat. It is thought that the crew will finish its work by November 1. The weather is fine for the work and rapid progress is being made. This crew will continue its work until bad weather sets in.

A Matter of Health

There is a quality in Royal Baking Powder which promotes digestion. This peculiarity of Royal has been noted by physicians, and they accordingly use and recommend it exclusively.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., NEW YORK.

CONVENTION OF TOBACCO GROWERS WILL MEET AT OWENSBORO TODAY.

Owensboro, Ky., Oct. 15.-(The annual meeting of the National Tobacco Growers' Association will be called to order in Owensboro at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning and will be in session three days. It will probably be one of the greatest meetings of tobacco growers ever held in the United States, and delegates will be in attendance from nearly every tobacco-growing state in the union. Some of the most celebrated workers for the betterment of the tobacco growers will be present and will deliver addresses.

The sessions will be held in the Grand Theatre, the only building in the city large enough to accommodate comfortably the crowd that is expected. At least 500 delegates will be present, according to the statement of the local tobacco growers who have charge of the arrangements for the meeting. In addition to the accredited delegates there will be a large number of tobacco growers from Western Kentucky, Southern Indiana and Tennessee, who will come to hear the proceedings.

First Day's Session.

Wednesday will be the first day of active work. The morning session will be given to the seating of the delegates, the address of welcome and the response of President Davenport of the association. The afternoon session will be given to the announcement of committees, reading of the report of the secretary and the address of President Everett, of the American Society of Equity, followed by discussion. The evening session will be a social gathering.

West Virginia Oil Men Here.

Messrs. W. G. Long and H. G. Gilger, oil men of New Martinsville, W. Va., spent several days in this city and vicinity last week looking over the gas and oil fields with local parties. They may return here in the near future to continue the work of prospecting, looking toward the development of these fields.

Jordan--Rush.

Webster, Ky., Oct. 17.-(Special.)--Lee Jordan and Miss Lena Rush, of Clifton Mills, were quietly married last Wednesday evening. Mr. Jordan is a son of Tim Jordan, deceased, and Miss Rush is a daughter of Len Rush, deceased.

"Nine Feet" Nearer Than Ever.

The eleventh annual convention of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association will meet at Cairo, Ill., November 15, 16 and 17.

The Ohio Valley Improvement Association, aided and sustained by the public-spirited citizens of the valley at all points from Pittsburg to Cairo, is working for the improvement of the Ohio river, to the end that in an improved state, with navigation assured throughout the year, it will serve as the great common highway for all interests of the valley to carry cheaply and reliably their wares to the markets, both home and abroad.

The motto of the association is "On To Cairo" and the chances for securing a nine-foot stage from Pittsburg to Cairo, through government appropriation for the work, seem more favorable than ever.

will be given over to the addresses and discussions of the report of the Committee on Order of Business. It is anticipated that three sessions will be held daily.

List of Speakers.

Addresses will be made by John Wesley Gaines, the "Tobacco Congressman" of Tennessee; H. B. Sherman, national organizer of the American Society of Equity; John S. Cunningham, of North Carolina; S. C. Adams, president of the Interstate Tobacco Growers' Association; Charles Fort, president of the Dark Tobacco Growers' Association; Felix G. Ewing, of Tennessee; Congressman A. O. Stanley, of Kentucky, and others. Discussions will follow the addresses, in which the delegates and all interested persons will be invited to take part.

Subjects of Addresses.

The subjects of addresses and topics for discussion will include: "Quantity and Condition of 1905 Crop of Tobacco," "Methods of Growing, Storing and Pricing," "Methods of Marketing," "Scales of Prices to Be Adopted for 1905 Tobacco," "Completion of Organization," "Tobacco Clearing-houses in Principal Markets," "Financing 1905 Crop," "Provision for funds to Maintain the Organization and Transact Business." Committees to prepare reports on the above topics will be selected the first day of the convention. Of course the most important work for the convention will be the fixing of the scale of prices for the coming year.

Richardson's Asphalt Mines.

Among the resources of Breckenridge county noted in Dr. A. A. Simons' paper to the Fourth State Development convention in Louisville, last week, mention of which is made elsewhere, are the asphalt mines at Garfield owned by L. B. Richardson. Though these mines are not in operation now, asphalt from them has been used on the streets of Louisville and Brooklyn and given entire satisfaction. The veins are from three to nine feet thick and are fifty acres in area. The quality of the asphalt is equal to that found anywhere in the country.

Expecting Good Fall Trade.

The following paragraphs are clipped from the "retail field" column of "Business," a new Louisville journal: "I expect a good fall trade," is the way W. E. Brown, of Irvington, Ky., sizes up the situation.

"S. H. Hall, of T. W. Hall & Bro., of Clifton Mills, Ky., says his firm has bought heavily, and expects an exceptionally heavy fall business."

Paragraphs Transposed.

In making up the first forms of this issue of the News, the last two paragraphs in the article regarding the Cloverport Water, Light & Ice company, on page 3, and the last paragraph under the head of "Bumper Corn Crops in State," on the same page, were inadvertently transposed.

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Castoria
Wm. D. Driskell